

PERSONALS.

Miss Mary Lamb, News Reporter

Miss Louise Darden of Weldon, N. C. was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Rinehart Freeman of Rocky Mount, N. C. was in town this morning.

Messrs Hubert Jenkins and Chauncey Leggett of Hobgood, N. C. were in town this morning.

Mr. Robert Edmondson of Tarboro, N. C. attended the dance last night.

Miss Ethel Pope of Weldon, N. C. was in town last night to attend the dance.

Messrs John Randleman and Paul Merchant of Weldon, N. C. attended the dance last night.

Mrs. H. S. Hyman of Hamlet, N. C. arrived last night to spend some time with Mrs. Gideon Lamb.

Mr. J. L. Tillery of Rocky Mount arrived this morning to spend the week end.

Miss Mitchell of Littleton, N. C. was here last night to attend the dance.

Mr. Ernest Applewhite of Tillery, N. C. was in town yesterday.

Mrs. W. J. Gordon of Spray, N. C. and son arrived yesterday to spend a few days with her mother.

Mrs. C. B. Riddick and two sons C. B. and Albert left for their home in Richmond, Va. yesterday.

The boys of the Eureka Club gave a dance last night, with Meyer Davis Orchestra from Raleigh. It was enjoyed by everyone, quite a number of out of town people attended it.

Mesdames J. E. Woolard, C. H. Herring, W. F. Butterworth, Laura Applewhite and R. G. Shackell left this morning for Weldon where they will attend the District convention.

Mrs. S. O. Purvis of Roseneath was in town Thursday shopping. Mr. G. Lamb arrived last night from Washington, N. C. where he spent a few days with relatives.

Mr. W. E. Whitmore a Confederate veteran who has been some what feeble is outrecuperating, it was learned today, a friend was in to get him a copy of The Commonwealth which we were glad to furnish Mr. Whitmore as many know he is a brother of Mrs. M. A. Shields.

LOST—Thursday night at the Eureka Club a diamond pin and an aviation wing. If found return to the Commonwealth office and receive reward.

We give the top notch for eggs, pigs, hams and any other country produce. Broiler chickens for sale.

Allsbrook & Kitchin
Phone No. 68

GROUP COMMENCEMENTS

Halifax County is divided into four groups of schools with a Central School in each group as the point of concentrated effort. Group Commencements will be held at each of the four Group Centers this year with all the schools in each group taking part in this final get-together at their own central school.

A live program has been planned. Many interesting contests will take place in the morning with thrilling field day stunts of various kinds following in the P. M. Select the Group School nearest you and be there to not only enjoy the sports, but to boost the children from your community as well. You will be given a hearty welcome; so plan to spend the day with your neighbors on a common meeting ground.

The dates and places of Group Commencements are:
Monday, April 26th — Hobgood.
Tuesday, April 27th — Halifax.
Wed., April 28th — Hardawee
Thursday, April 29th — Aurelian Springs.

WEATHER REPORT By J. Y. Savage

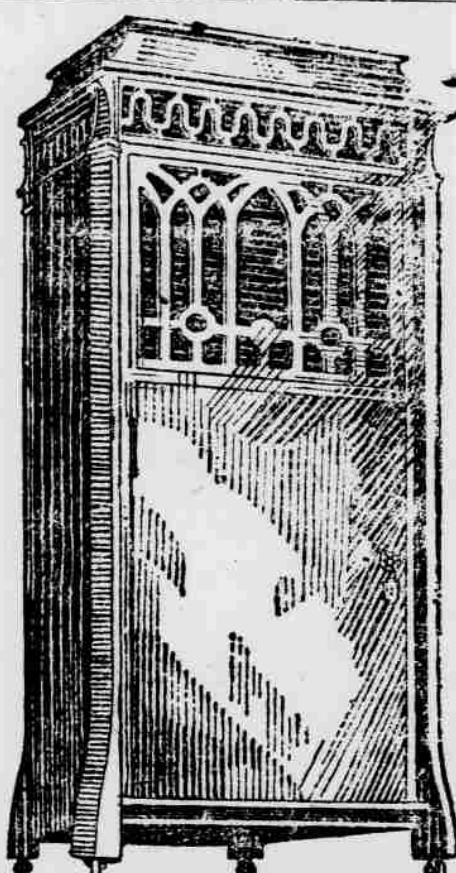
for week ending April 18, 1920.
Temp. Highest 80° on 17th.
Temp. Lowest 33° on 14 & 15th.
Rainfall 75-100.

FOR SALE

A good lot of Cleveland Big Boll Cotton seed, one nice lot of Black Peas, one Pratt Friction Self Tamping Cotton Press in good condition, one Liddell Cotton Gin that has been used only two seasons.

BAKER & EVERETT,
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LOST—A Goodrich Tire 32 X 4, and Columbia rim between the Vaughan farm and Lawrence farm Sunday afternoon April 18, 1920. Please return and get reward. John B. Gray



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Scotland Neck, N. C.

RURAL CHILDREN DEBATE RE-VALUATION ACT

Debating has become an important feature in the larger rural schools in Halifax County this year. Several of these schools have joined into this interesting part of the work with much enthusiasm and have determined to win the Patterson Debating Cup that has been offered by Sam F. Patterson of Roanoke Rapids.

Three triangles have been formed with the following schools: Hobgood, Halifax and Dawson; Hardawee, Bear Swamp and Hollister; South Rosemary and Darlington. On Friday evening, April 23rd, the above mentioned will debate the present-day question: "Resolved, That the Re-

Valuation Act Passed by the 1919 Legislature Will Produce a Better System of Taxation than the Present System." Those winning both sides of this subject will go to Halifax on Friday, April 30th, and compete for the Patterson Cup.

MASONS GIVE BARBECUE

Scotland Neck Lodge A.F. and A. M. No. 470 gave a most tempting barbecue to its members Tuesday night. The occasion was a most enjoyable one it was learned.

Mr. W. W. Matthews had the misfortune of breaking several ribs this morning. We was fishing and fell off a log and landed on a stump. He may be sent to a hospital.

If you want the best of everything call 190.

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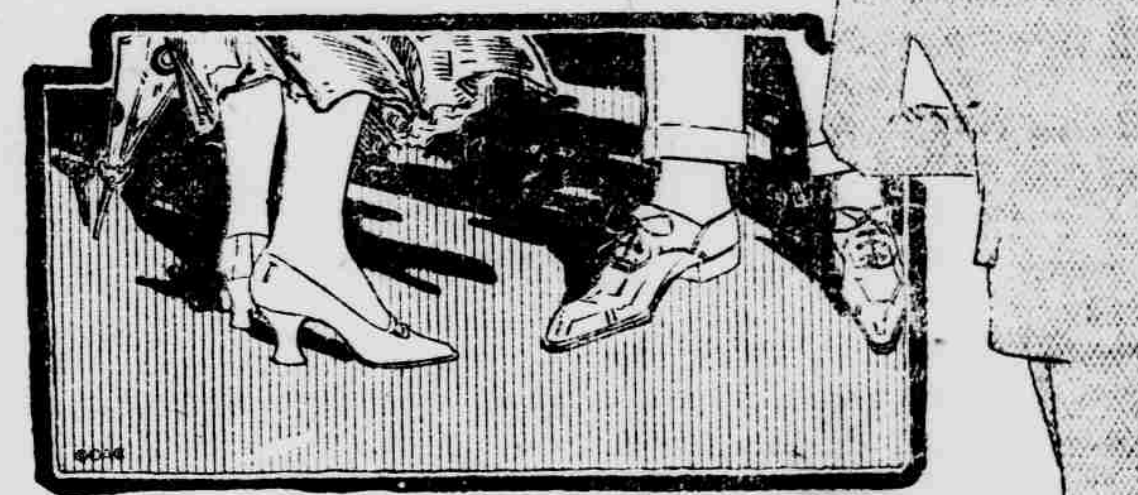
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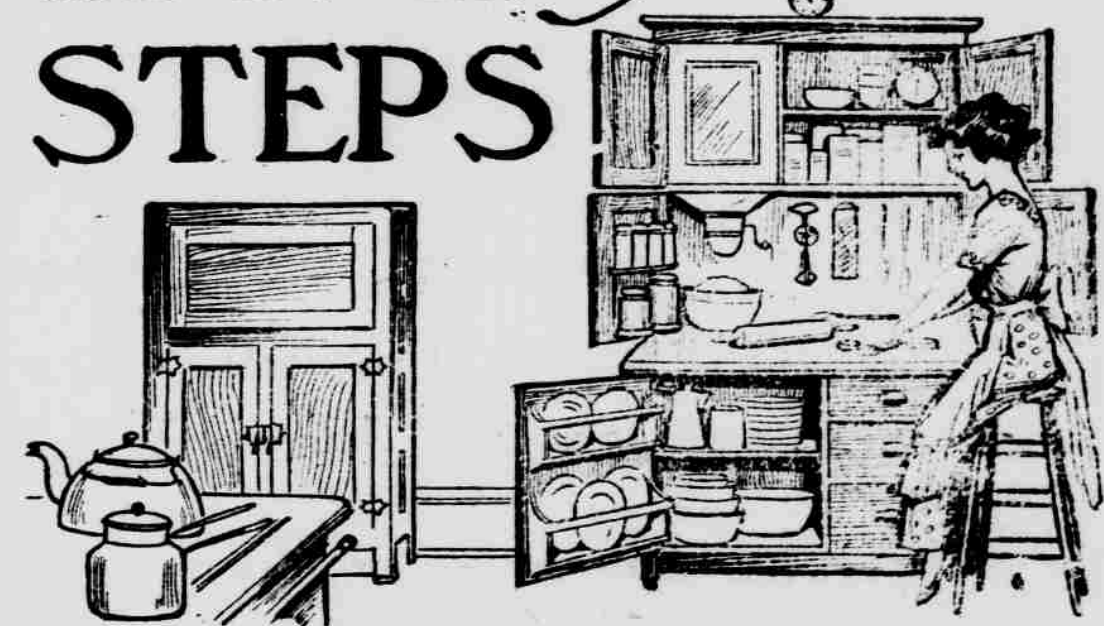
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